## SPECIAL EDUCATION EXIT CATEGORIES CODES (Screen 12)

## Code Exit Category (Ages 3-22)

- 01 **Returned to Regular Education (valid ages 5-22)** Students who were served in special education during the school year but returned to regular education as a result of having met the objectives of their IEP. These students no longer have an IEP and are receiving all of their educational services from the general education program. This **excludes** early childhood children going into kindergarten (see exit code 11 below).
- 02 **Graduated with a Diploma (valid ages 17-22)** Students with disabilities who exited the educational program through the receipt of a high school diploma identical to that for which students without disabilities are eligible. This includes students with disabilities who meet state and local graduation requirements by taking and passing regular courses with or without modification and/or successfully achieving IEP goals and objectives.
- \*Received a Certificate (valid ages 17-22) Students with disabilities who exited an educational program through the receipt of a certificate of attendance. This includes students who reached age 21 or otherwise terminated their education and who have met the district's attendance requirements.
- 04 \*Reached Maximum Age (valid ages 20-22) Students with disabilities who exited an educational program because they reached the maximum age for receipt of educational services and did not receive a diploma or certificate of attendance.
- 05 Died (valid ages 3-22) Students with disabilities who died during the school year.
- 06 **Moved, Known to be Continuing (valid ages 3-22)** Students with disabilities who moved out of the district and are known to be continuing in another special or general educational program. This includes students who previously received special education services from the district but left the district to attend a home school or private/parochial school.
- \*Moved, Not Known to be Continuing (valid ages 3-22) Students with disabilities who have moved out of the district and are <u>not</u> known to be continuing in any type of educational program (i.e., no records request from another educational program).
- \*Dropped Out (valid ages 14-22) Students with disabilities who are enrolled during the year and were not enrolled at the end of the year and did not exit through exit categories 01-07. This includes dropouts, runaways, expulsions, GED recipients, and status unknown.
- 11 **K, no Special Education Services (valid ages 4-5)** Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and will enter kindergarten with no special education services as a result of having met the objectives of their IEP. These students no longer have an IEP and will receive all of their educational services from the general education program.
- 12 **K, Outside regular class less than 21 percent of the day (valid ages 4-5)** Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and will enter kindergarten. These children will receive special education and related services outside the regular classroom for less than 21 percent of the school day.
- 13 K, Outside regular class at least 21 percent and no more than 60 percent of the day (valid ages 4-5) Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and will enter kindergarten. These children will receive special education and

- related services outside the regular classroom for at least 21 percent but no more than 60 percent of the school day.
- 14 **K, Outside regular class greater than 60 percent of the day (valid ages 4-5)** Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and will enter kindergarten. These children will receive special education and related services outside the regular classroom for more than 60 percent of the school day.
- 15 **K, Homebound/Hospital (valid ages 4-5)** Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and will enter kindergarten. Due to student's illness or medically fragile condition, the student will receive special education at home or in a hospital via a visiting teacher or telephone instruction based on the student's IEP.
- 16 **K, Separate Special Education school (valid ages 4-5)** Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and will enter kindergarten in a separate public or private school that is only for students with disabilities.
- 17 **Parent withdrew student (valid ages 3-13)** Students who had received special education services during the school year and whose parents withdrew the students from the special education program.
- 18 **No longer require/eligible for services (valid ages 3-4)** Students who were served in early childhood special education during the school year and not yet eligible for kindergarten, but will no longer require or be eligible for early childhood special education services.

<sup>\*</sup> These Exit categories are combined for dropout calculations for students ages 14-22.